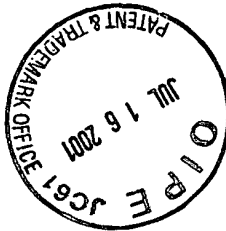


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In re application of: Hockman, John Albert

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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37 C.F.R. 1.17 (application processing fees)

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2. Status


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